

Independent
districts to com-
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towns.

town, whether included within the original incorporation or afterwards attached thereto in accordance with the provisions of law, shall be or become a part of the independent district or districts of said city or town.

Adjustment of
assets and li-
abilities.

Code, sec. 1715.

Publication.

SEC. 2. When boundaries are changed by the taking effect of this act, the respective boards of directors shall make an equitable settlement of the then existing assets and liabilities of their districts, as provided for by section 1715 of the code.

SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and in The Oskaloosa Herald, a newspaper published at Oskaloosa, Mahaska county, Iowa.

Approved, March 16, 1882.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register* March 22, and *The Weekly Oskaloosa Herald* March 23, 1882.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State*.

CHAPTER 119.

LEGALIZING A SALE OF RAILROADS.

H. F. 404.

AN ACT to Legalize the Sale and Transfer by the St. Paul and Sioux City Railroad Company of its Railroads in Iowa to the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railway Company, and to Legalize the Issue of its Stock and Bonds thereon by the last named Company.

Example.

WHEREAS, The St. Paul and Sioux City Railroad Company, a corporation organized and created under and by virtue of the laws of the state of Minnesota, but owning and operating a railroad partly within the state of Iowa, sold and conveyed on or about the 9th day of May, 1881, its railway in Iowa and Minnesota to the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railway Company, a corporation organized and created under the laws of Wisconsin, which last named company has been since said time been operating the same as a part of its lines of railway and branches, and has issued stock and bonds thereon the same as upon other of its lines; and,

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the sale and transfer by the said St. Paul and Sioux City Railroad Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the state of Iowa, to the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railway Company of its railroad in Iowa; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. The sale by the St. Paul and Sioux City Railroad

company of its railways in Iowa to the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railway Company, and the purchase of the said railway by the last named company, and the deed of conveyance made upon said sale dated May 9, 1881, and the issue by said purchasing company of its stocks and bonds upon said railways in Iowa in accordance with its articles of consolidation, are hereby fully legalized, ratified and confirmed, and made valid. Sale, purchase, and conveyance legalized; also, issue of stocks and bonds.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after the publication in the Iowa State Register, newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and The Sioux City Journal, a newspaper published at Sioux City, Iowa, said publication to be made without expense to the state of Iowa. Publication.

Approved, March 17, 1882.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in *The Sioux City Daily Journal* March 21, and the *Iowa State Register* March 24, 1882.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 120.

LEGALIZING TRANSFER OF SCHOOL-DISTRICT TERRITORY.

AN ACT to Legalize the Action of the County Superintendent of Linn County, Iowa, in the Transfer of Territory from the Independent School-District of Union to the Independent District of Cedar Rapids. H. F. 372.

WHEREAS, The county superintendent of Linn county, Iowa, did, on the 9th day of April, 1881, in pursuance to [of] a number of petitioners, transfer certain territory of the independent district of Union to the independent district of Cedar Rapids, all in Rapids township, Linn county, Iowa; and, Preamble.

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality and manners of perfecting said transfer; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the action of the county superintendent, in the transfer of said territory from the independent district of Union to the independent district of Cedar Rapids, be and the same is hereby legalized. Transfer legalized.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and Cedar Rapids Times, newspapers published at Des Moines and Cedar Rapids, Iowa, provided that said publication is made without expense to the state. Publication.

Approved, March 17, 1882.

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J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State.*